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Washington, D.C. 20231

Group Art Unit	2881
Examiner:	GURZO, PAUL M.
Atty. Dkt.	P 243306
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Appln. Title: THIN RADIATION SOURCE AND
METHOD OF MAKING THE SAME

Sir:

REPLY/AMENDMENT/LETTER

Date: March 20, 2003

This is a reply/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes the herewith attachment of same date and subject which is incorporated hereinto by reference and the signature below is treated as the signature to the attachment in absence of a signature thereto.

FEE REQUIREMENTS FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

1. Small Entity claim A. <input type="checkbox"/> NOT made B. <input type="checkbox"/> Withdrawn C. <input type="checkbox"/> made herewith D. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> made previously	For B & C See Required Separate Paper (Pat-256)	Claims remaining after amendment	Highest number previously paid for	Present Extra	Large/Small Entity	Additional Fee	Fee Code Lg/Sm
2. Total Effective Claims 21 **minus 33 0 x \$18/\$9 = + \$0 103/203							
3. Independent Claims 4 ***minus 4 0 x \$84/\$42 = + \$0 102/202							
4. If amendment enters proper multiple dependent claim(s) into this application for first time (leave blank if this is a reissue application)..... add + \$280/\$140 = + \$0 104/204							
5. Original due Date: March 20, 2003 <input type="checkbox"/> NONE							
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11. After-Final Request Fee per rules 129(a) and 17(r) + \$750/370 + \$0 146/246							
12. No. of additional inventions for examination per Rule 129(b) x \$750/375 ea + \$0 149/249							
13. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) + \$750/375 + \$0 1179/1279							
14. Petition fee for + \$0							
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This CHARGE STATEMENT does not authorize charge of the issue fee until/unless an issue fee transmittal sheet is filed.

Query: Is appeal deadline now? If so, file Notice of Appeals separately.

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 20, 2002 in connection with the above-identified application, please enter and consider the following amendment and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claims 6, 9, 13, 17, and 18 have been amended, as follows. Claims 19 - 33 have been cancelled, without prejudice. New claims 34 - 36 have been added.

6. (Amended) The radiation source according to claim 5, wherein the activity density of each of said at least two layers is the same.